

Neighborhood News.

Wellsville.

M. V. Sharpe, wife and little daughter Miss Josephine, of Montgomery City, spent Sunday with relatives here.

R. J. Shaner came down from Moberly Wednesday. Billie Pollard, who has been working in St. Louis for several months was visiting the homefolks last week.

Mrs. H. A. Overbaugh and little daughter of Martinsburg spent Thursday here with relatives.

B. W. Morris of Fulton was here a few days last week trying to work up interest in the fire-clay.

Doc Hudson, the tombstone man was up from Montgomery last week.

Will Bentley went to St. Charles last Thursday, where he has a position in the car shops.

W. Thompson of New York City was here last Friday.

Miss Nina B. Meyers, of Holdenville, Ind. T. was here last week visiting relatives and friends. She returned home Sunday accompanied by her cousin Miss Maude Straube.

Master Ben Stevens was the guest of relatives at Martinsburg the latter part of last week.

Messrs. Dolph Jordan, Gilbert Rees, Birt Reighley and E. L. Black spent Sunday south of Middletown fishing. Of course they reported a most enjoyable time and lots of fish(?)

Wm. Gribben left last Tuesday for Taylorsville Ill to visit his children.

Mrs. Hockaday and Mrs. Dr. Van Deventer of Middletown were shopping here Tuesday.

Messrs. Billie Hale and—Herring of Shamrock called on two of Wellsville's young ladies Sunday.

Mr. Watkins of Vandalia attended the meeting of the I. O. O. F. Lodge Saturday evening.

J. L. Hart was down from Martinsburg on legal business Wednesday of last week.

Miss Mattie Rombaugh of Covington, Ky. is the guest of her cousin Mrs. Geo. Goulee.

Mont O'Donnell went to Ft. Worth, Tex. last Wednesday to play in the Ted Sullivan's League during the base ball season.

Rev. C. C. Long went to Pleasant Plains Friday to fill his regular appointment.

Birt Reighley was in Shamrock a few hours last Wednesday.

Rev. Rupert Ford passed through here Saturday en route to his home at Middletown.

Tom Kelly was down from Moberly Sunday to see his sister Miss Mollie.

Mrs. J. C. Blaine and daughter Miss Nelle spent Saturday afternoon with friends at Martinsburg.

Messrs. Geo. Lehnen and Jim Wilson called on two of Montgomery's fair ladies at J. H. Johnson's north of town Sunday afternoon.

Rev. W. D. McCulley filled his pulpit at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

Frederick Watkins of Martinsburg came down Saturday and attended the meeting of Yeager Sharpe Post G. A. R.

Miss Noble Settles, of Mexico, who has been teaching music here for some time leaves this week for her new home in Ind. T. We are sorry to lose Miss Settles from our city as she is an experienced teacher.

Dr. P. Hamilton of Martinsburg was here last Wednesday.

The "Shakespeare Club" was handsomely entertained by Miss Elrena Stuart Monday night in honor of Miss Emma Lou Briggs of Bowling Green. One of the pleasant features of the evening was the toasts given by the gentlemen. Light refreshments were served at a late hour after which they returned to their homes.

Those present were Misses Estelle Blattner, Helen V. Baker, Dollie Sharpe, Bess Blackwell and Emma Lou Briggs. Messrs W. E. Shirley Dr. Peter Arnold and Will Schulz.

N. M. Freidman and little Miss Vera of Martinsburg were visiting friends here Sunday afternoon.

J. L. Hart of Martinsburg attended divine services here Sunday.

C. O. Janssen was up from St. Louis Friday evening.

Miss Willie Dutton spent Sunday with her parents near Truxton. Misses Alta and Leota Rodgers two charming young ladies of Montgomery were visiting at this place Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Reed and little babe who has been visiting relatives in Mexico for several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Miss D. Baskett returned to her home near Cuivre Sunday, after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Rev. Hay Bell assisted by Miss Olive Blunt, the Japanese Missionary, gave three very interesting services at the C. P. Church Sunday. In the morning he preached to the old people, in the afternoon to the children and in the evening to the young people.

Miss Ethel Jones, who is attending the Normal at Kirksville was the guest of her father T. F. Jones last week.

C. L. Craghead of St. Louis was here Friday on business.

Wilfred Bowman came up from St. Louis Sunday to fill his regular appointment. St. Elmo.

Cross Roads.

A shower of rain would be welcome in this vicinity for the late sowing of oats.

Corn planting has begun in this vicinity.

M. V. Cahall went to St. Louis Sunday evening.

Services were held at this place the second Sunday by Rev. Giddens, quite a few being present.

Carl Smith went to Wellsville Sunday.

C. W. Fuhr visited his uncle, C. W. Kraft near Middletown Sunday.

J. H. Martin and family visited Job Moore and family Sunday.

Wm. Hoffman visited C. F. Kraft and family Sunday.

W. E. Holt, while coming home from Wellsville Saturday evening, had the misfortune to have a runaway but no damage was done.

Miss Gertrude Hunt of Middletown has been engaged to teach the school here this winter.

W. E. Holt purchased a load of hay of C. F. Kraft last week.

Miss Siddle Walker visited Miss Emma Kraft Saturday.

Claude Brown and wife and the former's mother passed through here on their way to Montgomery one day last week.

Misses Emma and Gertrude Kraft visited Miss Lella Itner Wednesday.

W. T. Saunders and family visited his father and family near Hopewell Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Martin visited Mrs. C. F. Kraft Thursday evening.

Misses Gertrude and Grace Hunt, two of Middletown's popular young women, were in this vicinity Thursday.

Jno. Kraft went to Montgomery Thursday.

J. H. Martin went to Wellsville Thursday. Topsy.

Truxton

Prewitt & Weaver have just returned from the city with a new and complete line of millinery goods. They will have an opening April 21, 22 and 23. Each visitor will be presented with a souvenir.

Mrs. Jane Barrett visited her sister, Mrs. Johnson of Montgomery

# SOMETHING NEW!

Did You Ever See a

## DISC CORN PLANTER?

It will save you work. Call and see the sample in my ware-room.

By the way, while in town take a look at that HOOSIER Corn Planter or the MOLINE PLAY BALL and CRACKER JACK.

SAY! Why not save yourself some money by buying a Combined LISTER and DRILL?

We also have a supply of GUAGE and HOE that may be attached to any planter. This is a money saver.

We have a nice supply of plows any size or make you may desire.

The JANESVILLE or CAPTAIN KIDD DISK CULTIVATORS are now on exhibition.

## WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.

Call and examine my stock before buying elsewhere.

Yours for business,

J. T. NUNNELLY.

City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamonds of Olney were in town Saturday.

J. H. Ingram and family visited relatives near Prices Branch Sunday.

Mrs. Weaver of Kirksville, Mo. arrived Friday on an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Prewitt.

Guy Clark made a business trip to Montgomery City Tuesday.

John Keadle of Bellflower has rented the rooms in the second story of the P. O. building, where he will have a jewelry shop.

On The Line.

The cold winds that have been so disagreeable seem to be abating.

Fred Frisbie formerly of Cuivre who has just arrived in the State of Washington writes that it is a beautiful country.

The health of this community is good at present.

Perhaps ere this reaches you if the weather stays pleasant some of the anxious farmers will have planted corn.

Esquire Parker over in Audrain county is blowing up stumps with dynamite and the awful explosions sound like the storming of Santiago.

The primary is drawing near and what a relief to both citizens and candidates when over.

Hermon Phearse is a self educated blacksmith but can shoe a horse as accurately as a full-fledged blacksmith.

The telephone from Farber to James Hall's was finished Tuesday. I hear that the first words that passed over the line were: "Those chickens do I hear chirping over there?" Mrs. Hall had some young chickens in the room where the phone is.

J. L. Hayden who was chosen

by Joseph Brabben as his curator declines said office on the account of future intentions of changing his place of abode.

Fields and Phearse's saw-mill has been sawing like rats a fighting this spring and they are getting out some nice lumber.

Mrs. Annie Alstrop commenced school at Morgan last Monday. SAM TWINKLE.

Fair View.

Making garden, cleaning yard and plowing are the order of the day.

Mrs. Mollie Moore of New Florence visited her brother J. D. Hunter a few days last week.

Miss Retta Conran, who is attending the Convent at Jonesburg spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

O. P. Kinton and wife spent Sunday with N. C. Strain and family.

Mr. Aubuchon and family attended church at Montgomery Sunday.

J. V. Parsons and wife went to Montgomery on business Monday.

Miss Jane and Kate Sharp were the guests of Mrs. J. D. Hunter one evening last week.

Miss Florence Constance has been employed to teach the Fair View school.

Miss Mollie Conran and brother Tom attended the ball at Jonesburg last Friday night.

H. G. Woods called on Miss Emma Graham Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. D. Hunter made a flying trip to Auxvasse on the 9 inst returning on the 11 accompanied by her sister.

Wm. Graham planted five acres of corn last week.

Miss Mabel Berry has been employed to teach a school in St. Charles county this winter.

Several of the young folks attended Sunday school at Mt. Pleasant last Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Hempstead was the guest of Miss Mabel Berry one day last week. GADABOUT.

Big Spring

Ed Coil hauled a load of goods from New Florence for F. & G. Niedergeske Monday.

Some of the citizens of this place built a new fence around the German Methodist cemetery Tuesday.

F. Lichte purchased two loads of hay at High Hill Wednesday.

Thos. Davis visited homefolks in New Florence Thursday.

Dr. Evans of High Hill was at this place a few hours Friday.

Some people of this vicinity have planted corn, and a great many are breaking ground and getting ready to plant.

Jahue Milikan and family visited Mrs. Davidson's Sunday.

The democrats of this precinct held their mass meeting at this place Saturday.

Clara and Wade Whitesides went to Montgomery Friday, and returned home Saturday.

There was no meeting at Liberty Church Sunday on account of small pox in this vicinity.

Wm. Meyer and wife of near High Hill visited relatives near this place Sunday. "TULIP"

Bellflower.

There was a large crowd out to church at Union Chapel last Sunday, quite a number from a distance.

Miss Emma Keadle, an experienced seamstress, will sew at this place this summer. Those wishing work done in her line will do her a favor by calling.

Miss Grace Cope of Pin Oak is visiting in this neighborhood this week.

Quite a large crowd was at the Maple Syrup Social at Mr. Hinton's last Saturday night. They had real good music, and everybody seemed to enjoyed themselves especially about supper time.

Miss Allie Winters of Two Mile Branch neighborhood visited her brother, Simon Winters of near Union Chapel, last Saturday and Sunday.

Clyde Beck, who has been suffering from boils, was able to attend church at the Chapel Sunday.

Harry Ball of Montgomery City visited his homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

John Keadle passed through here on his way to Truxton last Monday on a business trip.

John Perkins made a business trip to St. Louis the first of the week. His wife accompanied him as far as Montgomery City, and visited J. K. Rodgers and family of that place.

J. H. Harrell was here this week setting up Deering Machinery.

Fred Hupe is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Annie Boone of Montgomery City is visiting here this week.

Misses Marie and Mary Pittenger of near Gamma were trading here Tuesday.

Lucien Lotton was kicked by a horse Monday. We hope nothing serious will terminate from it.

WHIP-POOR-WILL.

Farmers are about all done plowing for corn and some are planting.

Oats come up good and are looking fine but is needing a shower of rain.

David Appling of Wellsville is spending a few days here visiting relatives and friends.

Arther M. Davise of Brownwood, Texas, is visiting relatives here at present.

Rans Hays and family were in Montgomery City last Saturday trading.

Rev. S. T. Hudson filled his appointment here last Sunday evening at 3 o'clock.

Sam Penn has 2 1-2 acres of corn planted and William Appling about 5 acres planted.

Rev. S. T. Hudson took dinner with Rev. I. M. Oliver last Sunday.

W. L. Warmington and wife of near Bethel visited relatives here last Sunday.

Harris Maupin of Montgomery City attended preaching here last Sunday evening.

Miss Florence Duncan visited the Misses Overstreets last Saturday. O. U. GUZZ.

Americus.

Miss Addie Dickey went to Jefferson City Saturday, she was accompanied by Mr. Carter Adams of Macky Idaho.

Miss Eliza McMahan of Egbert is visiting the Misses Thompson near town.

Fire broke out in the wood west of town Thursday and Friday, burning about 13 cord of wood, beside ruining lots of trees.

Frank Holtwick and wife visited relatives in Rhineland Saturday and Sunday.

One of Harry Snoden's little children is slowly improving from a severe attack of pneumonia.

News reached this place last week that Marvin Huddleston wife of St. Louis is very low with pneumonia.

P. L. McCarty has completed his house, and is now moving into it. Sunday School has been organized at Trinity church by B. S. Baker. Time of meeting is every Sunday 10 o'clock a. m. every body is invited to attend.

Miss Hattie Ward is visiting at Mr. Balles Hunters.

Marvin Bush who has been in Montgomery City for the past few weeks was on our streets Saturday.

Edward Bush and wife, and Miss Cordie Marlow visited at Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Buses Sunday.

M. A. Bibb and wife were visiting in Montgomery City Wednesday and Thursday.

Fire got out in Snoden's woods Saturday and came near burning his house.

Sunday is the regular preaching at Trinity. Everybody is invited to attend.

There are some very good indications of another drouth this summer.

One young man in our vicinity is having considerable trouble with his coat. For further particulars call on Arch Tompson. BILL NYE.

Minneola.

Lee Gregory and W. C. Crane made a business trip to Fulton last week.

Messdames Henry Tate and Blair Hudnall spent last week with Mrs. Homer Finley of Wellsville.

Miss Ethel Jones, who has been attending school at Chillicothe, returned home Friday accompanied by Miss Carrie Appling of Wellsville.

Misses Maggie Baker and Ola Allen were in Montgomery Friday shopping.

Miss Martha Blades and Mrs. George Crane and little daughters spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Billie Martin's family.

H. T. Truxton attended church at Antioch Sunday.

Mark Penn and wife of Danville spent Sunday with Mrs. Jennie Penn.

There will be a Gospel Temperance meeting at this place Sunday eve, April 20th. The program, we failed to get. Everybody is invited to attend.

Miss Blanche Ingram left Sunday to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clare near Wellsville.

Mrs. Lon Haines of St. Louis is the guest of Miss Ola Allen this week.

Misses Blades, Martin and Hobson will spend Wednesday with Mrs. E. B. Scanland.

B. Rush Crane went to Auxvasse Tuesday to attend the funeral of John Watson.

Miss C. C. Cowherd is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Crane.

Lee Gregory and sisters spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in Montgomery City.

Born to the wife of Benj. Windsor, a girl, April 16, 1902.

The young folks surprised Miss Glovine Woodrooff Thursday night by having a birthday party.

Thomas District

Plowing for corn is the order of the day.

Tom Stansberry and H. A. Davidson was in Wellsville one day last week after feed.

Miss Gertrude May was the guest of Miss Leota May last Tuesday. Crayton Kirks was in Montgomery Monday after seed corn.

Mrs. Sarah Ellsberry and Miss Sadie Riddle was visiting at Mrs. M. Y. Kirks Sunday and Monday.

Tom Goodin and wife of West Prairie was visiting at John Alderson's Saturday night and Sunday.

Some few from this vicinity attended preaching at Elcom Sunday. O. U. KNOW.

# Photography!

I have leased the Photograph Gallery belonging to J. P. Metzler, and desire a continuance of the generous patronage you have heretofore accorded him. Come up and let me try my hand at making a picture of you. Satisfaction absolutely guaranteed.

One thing I desire to especially emphasize is the statement that my

## Work Will be Promptly Finished.

You will not have to wait several weeks after they are ordered before you can get the pictures. Come up and let me try you. Can make a photograph almost any size.

Yours for business,

B. M. BUSH,

Montgomery City.

April 18, 1902.